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Lima students can complete four-year program in psychology



The range of courses now offered in psychology on the Lima campus satisfy all the requirements for a degree in psychology according to the Psychology Department at the University.

"As is true of all Ohio State degrees," said Dean Violet I. Meek, "each student's program is approved by the major department. What is significant is that students may now take all of the courses necessary to complete the requirements for a B.A. or a B.S. with a major in psychology right here in Lima."

Courses in psychology have been offered in Lima in response to the needs of place bound adult students. The numbers of those students interested in psychology has increased in recent years to the point that the Department of Psychology acted formally to recognize the ability of students to complete their programs here in Lima. The need for more four-year degrees was the number one finding of the West Central Ohio Higher Education Needs Assessment Survey released this summer by the Ad Hoc Community Task Force on Higher Education. "The University has listened to the community and is moving ahead to provide access to more four-year degree programs here in Lima," said Meek who indicated that Psychology ranks as the first or second most popular degree among the Big Ten universities. Psychology is one of the most versatile of university degrees. One branch deals with the study of human behavior in industrial and organization settings.

"The new major will appeal to several student groups served by Ohio State Lima," indicated Dr. Garlene Penn, Director of Admissions. "It is particularly useful for the non-traditional students who wish to combine the psychology major with elective courses in management and business. These courses are already offered at Ohio State Lima in the evening to accommodate working adults." "A psychology degree can lead to a variety of career options," Penn said. "A case in point is Ohio State Lima Trustee, and former Citizens Council President Jaye McCain who graduated with a degree in psychology from The Ohio State University and is now an investment representative with Edward D. Jones & Company."

The psychology major at The Ohio State University provides a broad overview of many areas in psychology. Students may choose from a variety of courses in such areas as: cognitive, experimental, psychobiology, quantitative, clinical, counseling, developmental, developmental disabilities, social, industrial, and organizational psychology. Psychology majors will also be able to work with faculty to assist in research. Graduates with a Bachelor's degree in psychology follow many career paths, including administration and management, business and industry, casework, child care, employment interviewing, gerontology, health services, marketing and public relations, personnel, probation and parole, psychiatric assistant, research or laboratory assistant, sales, teaching and technical writing.

E. Gordon Gee and Constance Bumgarner married in Salt Lake City

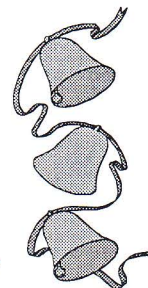


COLUMBUS -- E. Gordon Gee, president of The Ohio State University, and Constance M. Bumgarner were married Saturday, Nov. 26, in the presence of their families at a civil ceremony in Salt Lake City, Utah. Word is they honeymooned in New York.

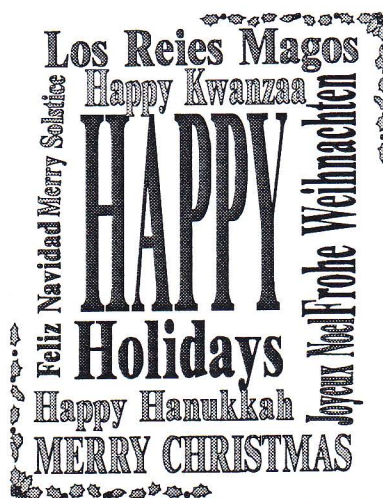
Constance Bumgarner Gee is an assistant professor of art education at Ohio State and directs the graduate program in arts policy and administration. She is the daughter of Marie Bumgarner Campbell of Burlington, N.C., and the late Clifton Bumgarner. A graduate of East Carolina University, she holds a Master of Fine Arts degree from Pratt Institute and a doctorate in art education from The Pennsylvania State University.

Gordon Gee is the son of Vera S. Gee of Salt Lake City and the late Elwood A. Gee. He has been president of Ohio State since September 1990. Gordon and Constance Gee returned to Columbus on Thursday, Dec. 1, and will live in the university residence in Bexley.

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Altrusa Scholarships Support WIN Students



Jean Brinkman
Elem. Ed.



Melanie Osting
Associate of Arts



Tami Neilson
Psychology



Tina Hook
Pre-Med



Mpho A. Poee
Psychology

Six Ohio State Lima students are benefiting from a new scholarship offered by Altrusa International of Lima. The \$500 per year book scholarships are given in support of women returning to school. Any graduate of the WIN program at OSU Lima is eligible to apply.

WIN (Women In the Nineties) is a pre-college program for women interested in returning to college. It presents a six-week seminar series which allows them explore their options; make career decision, increase self-esteem; and meet other women with similar goals and concerns. It is presented at no charge as a public service of The Ohio State University at Lima.

Six women have each received \$100 toward their books. This the first announcement of the scholarships although some of the recipients received their awards last year. "Participating in support of Ohio State's WIN is a perfect fit with our mission," says Dr. Carol Fasig, Director of the WIN program and a member of Altrusa International.

Altrusa is the oldest women's service organization in the world. It started in Nashville 75 years ago. One of its primary emphasis is literacy.

There follows a brief profile of each recipient. **Jean Brinkman** is a full-time student whose goal is a degree in Elementary Education. She feels her other roles in life are as important as her role of student. These include being mother to her three children, ages 22, 10, and 8, and wife to her "wonderful husband." Jean says it is important for parents to take an active and serious interest in their children's education and moral development. Her husband and she are active in St. Gerard's Parish. **Melanie Osting** is a 25 year resident of Lima and works in the Advertising Department of the Lima News. Her goal is to get an Associate Degree with an emphasis in Social Work in the next year. Melanie plans to work towards a B.S. in Social Work, "before my years of retirement!" She says that going back to school to further her education has been one of the most intelligent acts of her life. "It's never too late!" **Tami Neilson** is single with two

children. Bryan, age 17, who attends Apollo, and Bethany, age 15 a student at Shawnee High School. Tami plans to get her degree in Psychology and says that after 17 years out of school, "going back is a great leap of faith." She thinks that the fulfillment of working toward a long awaited goal is worth the sacrifices. Tami says that if she can do it at this time of life, anyone can. She advises, "if you have a goal, go for it!" **Tina Hook** says it is hard to juggle school and raise two daughters, ages 3 and 15 months. In spite of juggling classes around the rest of her life, Tina says "I am doing pretty good in my classes," and says that though it is hard to manage all of it, in the end she knows she will succeed in everything she wants to accomplish. **Mpho A. Poee (Abigail)**, is from South Africa and is a Psychology major. She is married with two boys and going full time this quarter. **Becky Clem (not pictured)** stopped out of school this quarter to be with her son who was injured in an accident. She hopes to return spring quarter. At 35, she came to WIN to "get some new answers." She is eager to find a new direction in life, other than waitressing. She knew she had to come back to school to do that.

For more information about WIN or the Altrusa Scholarship, contact Dr. Fasig at 221-1641, ext. 255.

Campus Holiday Card has banner year

Each year faculty and staff exchange greetings through the Holiday Card Program. Holiday cards will be arriving in your mail next week, breaking all previous records. A joint OSU/ LTC effort was supported by 107 participants, collecting over \$1000 for development funds of both schools.